

5.3 Immigration and Emigration



Immigration

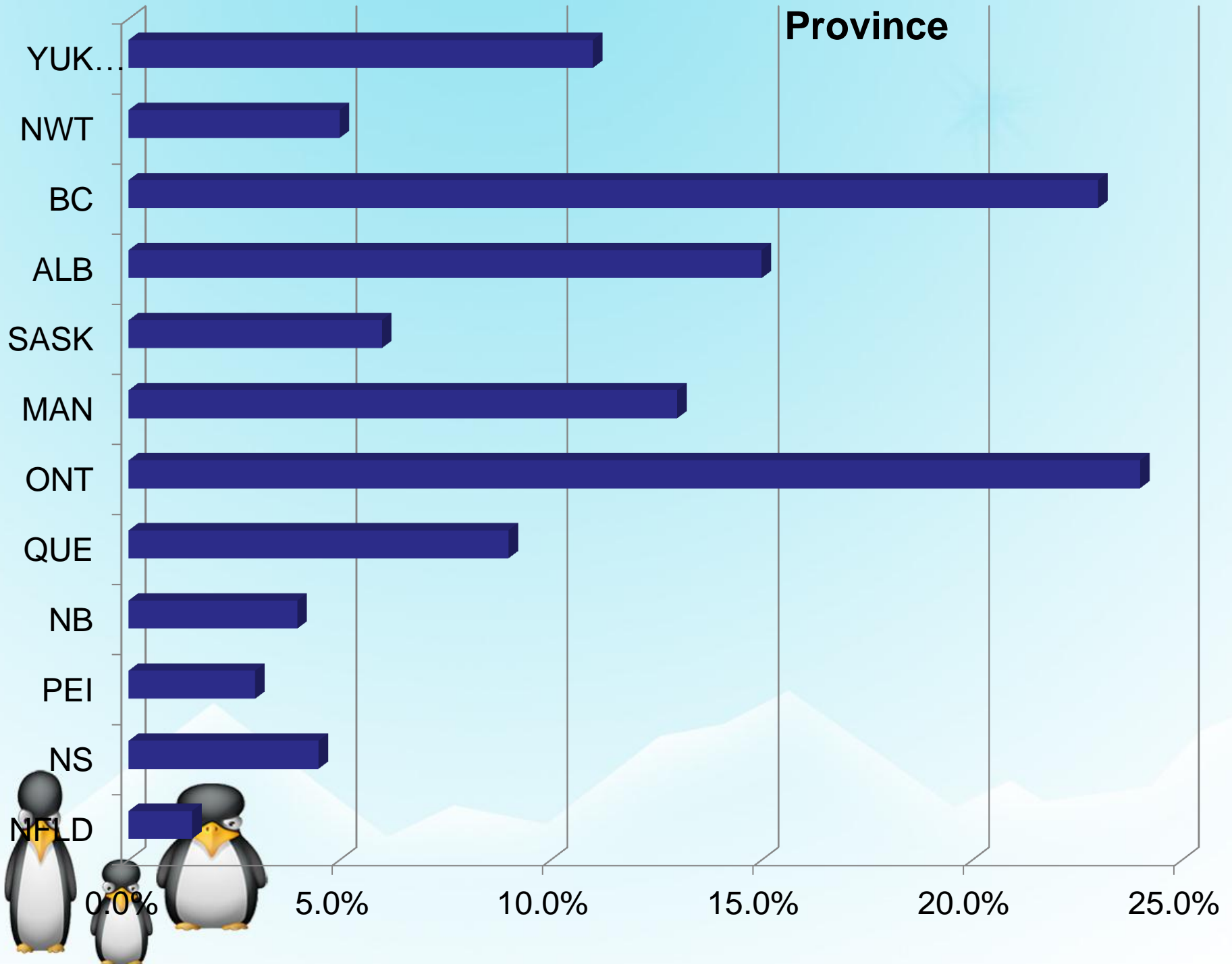
To move permanently to a country other than one's native country.



"THEY SAY THEY'RE BUILDING A WALL BECAUSE TOO MANY OF US ENTER ILLEGALLY AND WON'T LEARN THEIR LANGUAGE OR ASSIMILATE INTO THEIR CULTURE..."



Province





When	What Happened?	Why?
1840's	Arrival of thousands of irish settlers	Irish potato crops failing, facing starvation
1905-1914	Massive immigration to Canada West from Eastern Europe	Canadian government, wanting to settle the prairies, offers free land to immigrants
1915-1919	Little immigration	WWI and worldwide influenza ¹
1930-1945	Little immigration	WWII and depression
1956	Many Hungarians come to Canada	Hungarian revolt against Russia fails, refugees come to Canada to avoid punishment
1980's -2000	Thousands of Honk Kong Chinese	Looking for political stability



Why people become Immigrants

Push Factors

- Factors that make people want to leave their country and move to another one



Why people become Immigrants

Push Factors



- Extreme Winters



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UNEMPLOYMENT

sucks when your job gets blow'd up

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- High taxes



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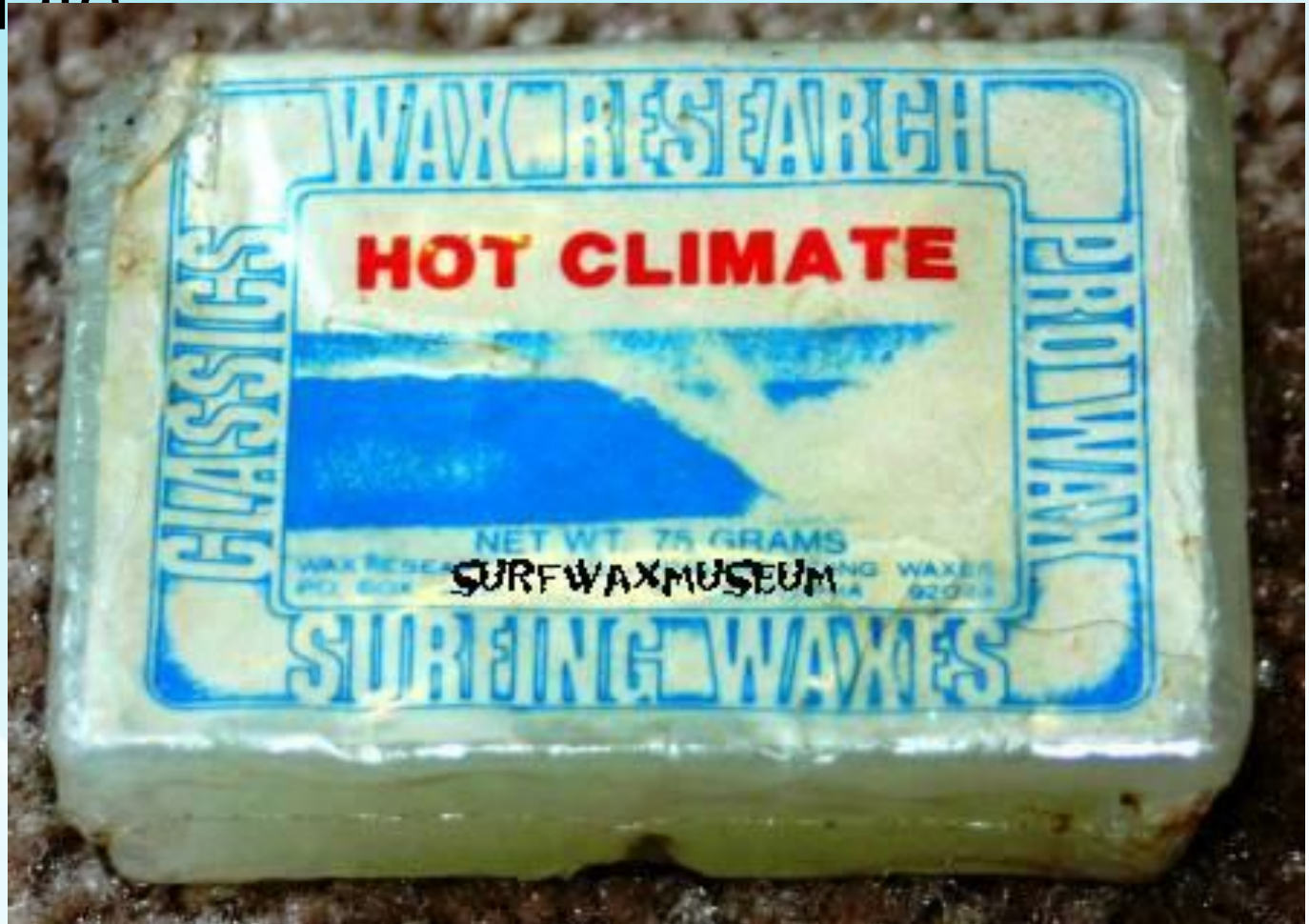
- War



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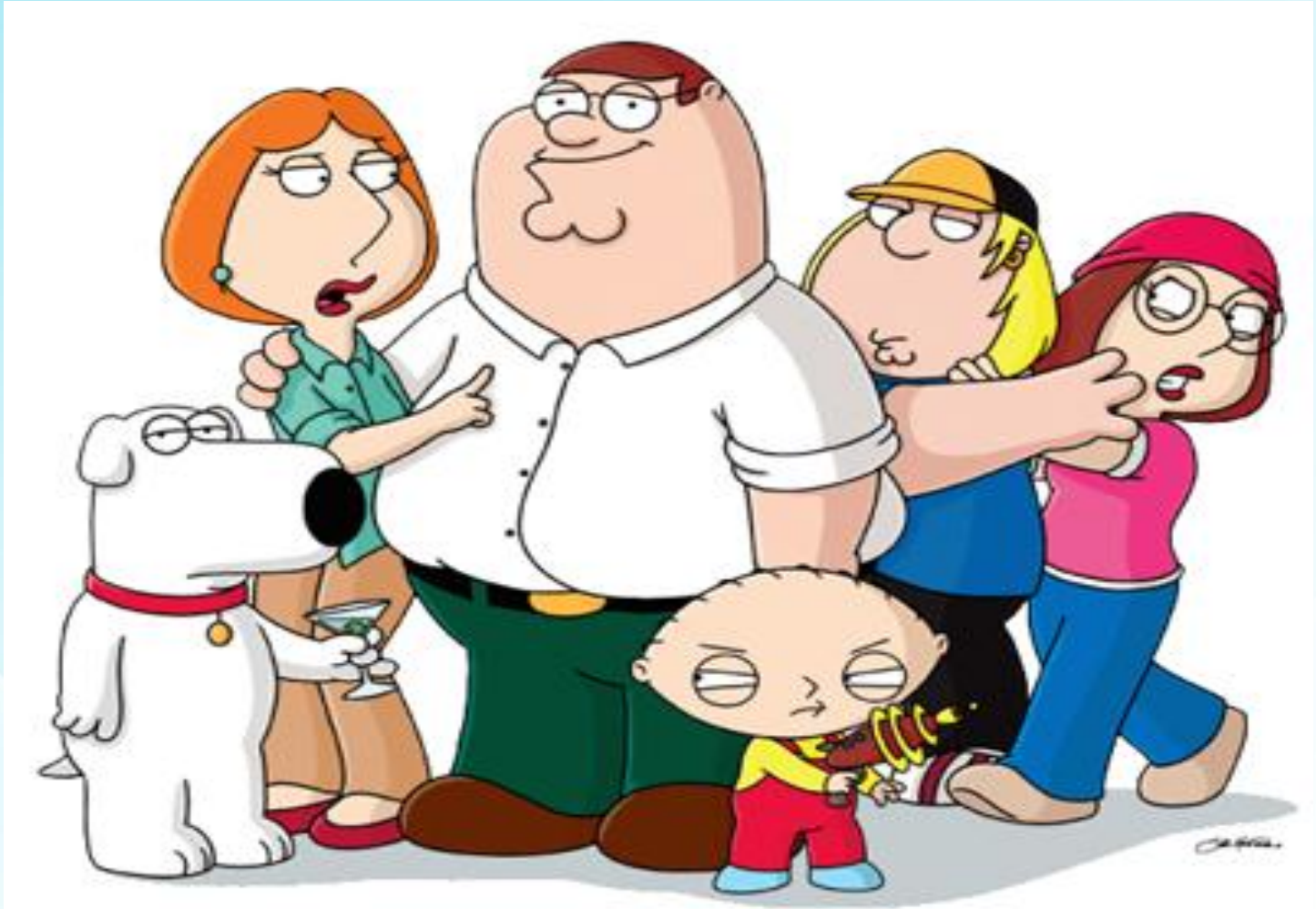
Push Factors

- Hot Climate



Why people become Immigrants Push Factors

- Family



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Pull Factors

- Factors that attract a person to a country



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- Free land



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- Warm Winter



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Why people become Immigrants

Intervening Obstacles

- Factors that discourage a person from following through on his/her decision to immigrate
- They include immigration requirements, the distance involved and the costs.



How someone becomes an Immigrant to Canada

- The government has strict rules to decide who will be admitted to the country
- Canada accepts three types of immigrants



How someone becomes an Immigrant to Canada



3 Types of Immigrants

Independent Immigrants

- Two types of Independent Immigrants
 - Skilled workers
 - Business Immigrants
- To be accepted as a **skilled worker**, a person must receive 70 points in a complicated system that is designed to identify which people are most likely to become successful residents of Canada



3 Types of Immigrants

Independent Immigrants

- Having specific job skills and experience is critical
- If Canadian economy needs more workers with a particular set of skills, more points will be given to potential immigrants with these skills



3 Types of Immigrants

Factor	Points	Conditions
Education	Up to 16	Based on # of years education
Specific Job Training	Up to 18	Based on # of years training
Job Experience	Up to 8	No experience means auto refusal
Occupation	Up to 10	Based on demand for skills
Job Offer	Up to 10	Points if immigrant has job waiting
Demographic Factor	Up to 8	Times of unemployment, gov't will reward few points here
Age	Up to 10	Aged 21-44 get 10 points. 2 points deducted for each year over or under
Knowledge of French and English	Up to 15	
Personal sustainability	Up to 10	Awarded as a result of an interview with immigration official

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Independent Immigrants

- Business immigrants must show a willingness and ability to show a significant financial contribution to Canadian economy



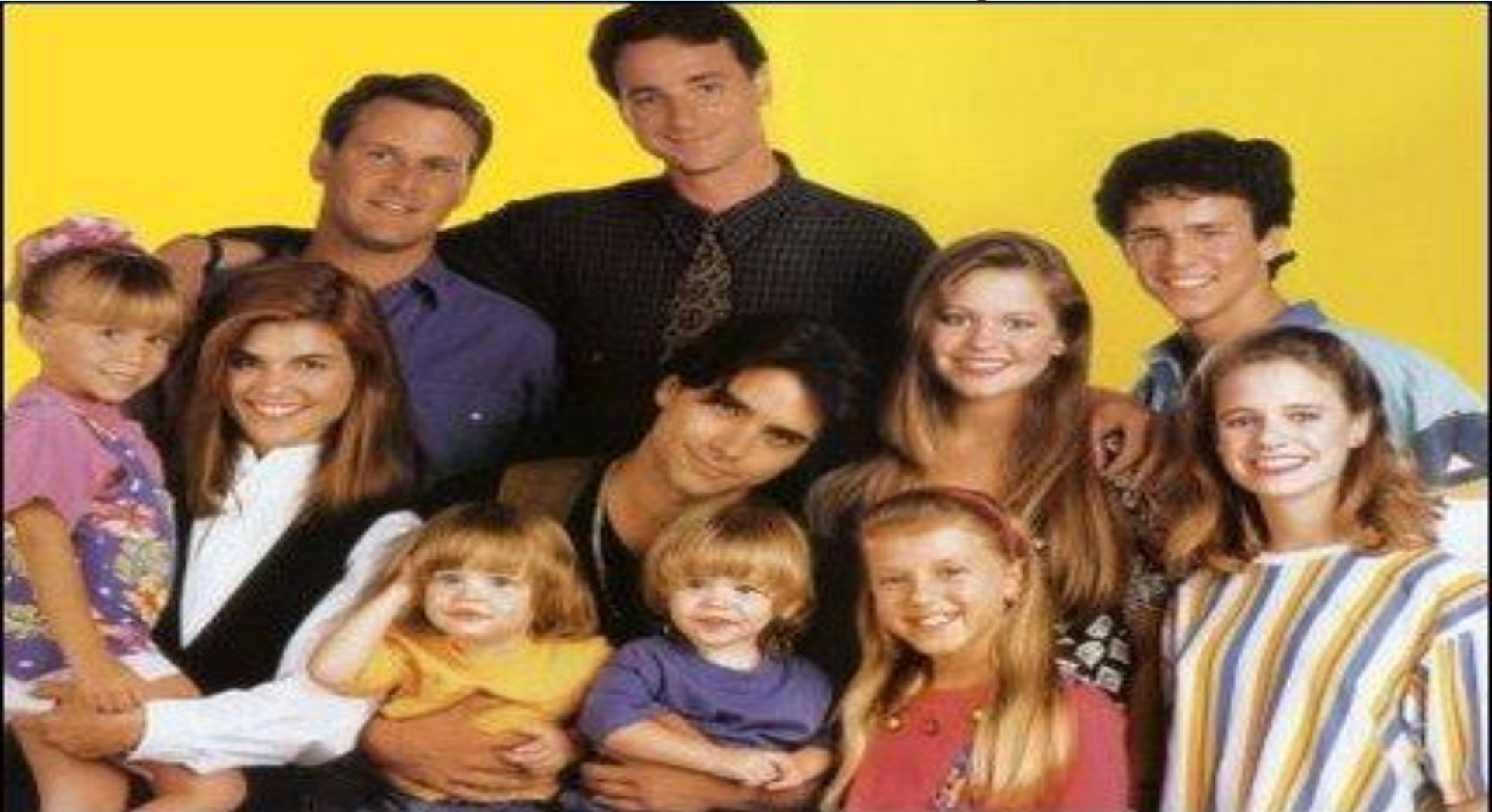
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Independent Immigrants

- They can do this by:
 - Establishing a business
 - Buying a business
 - Making investments that create at least one job outside their own family
- Bus. Immigrants only need to score 25 points to gain entrance to



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- Family Immigrants

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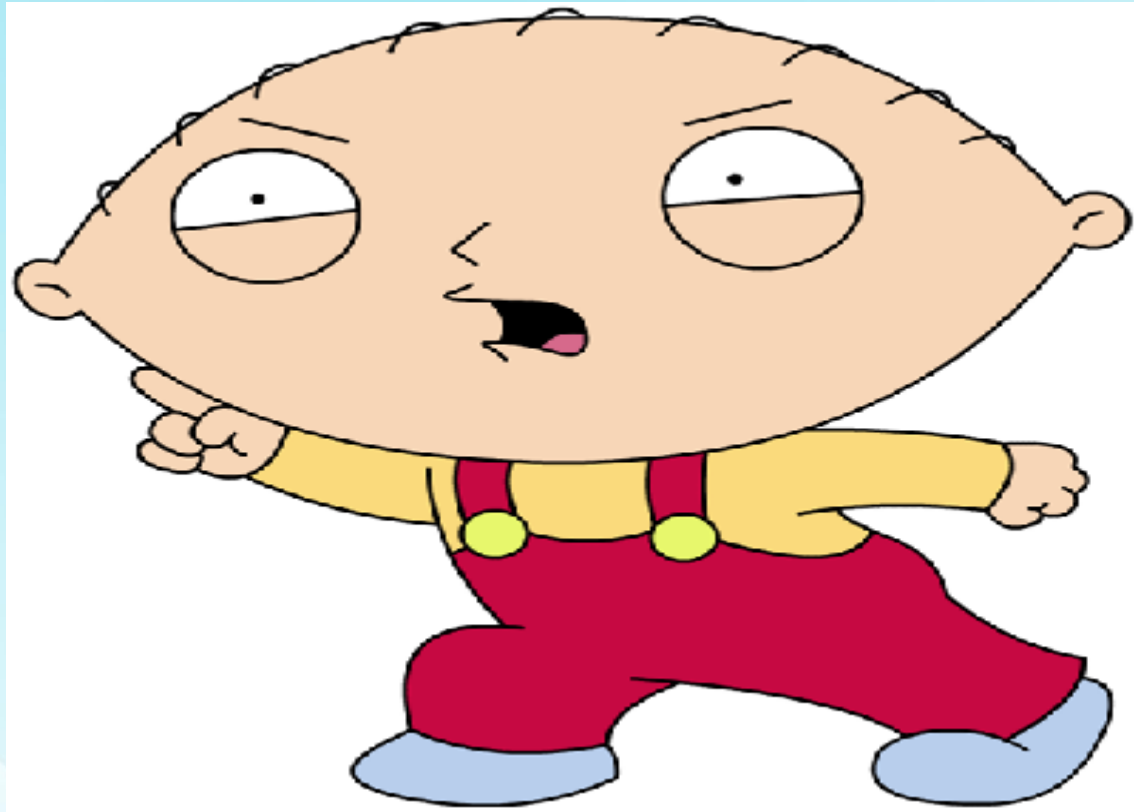
Family Immigrants

- Allow Canadian residents to reunite their families by bringing their close relatives to Canada.
- Eligible relations include:





- Spouses



- Children





- Parents/Grandparents

3 Types of Immigration

- Every family must be sponsored by a relative in Canada
- Sponsor agrees to provide the housing and other needs of the immigrant for ten years if the immigrant runs into financial difficulty



3 Types of Immigration



- Refugees

3 Types of Immigration

Refugees

- Someone who fears persecution or death in his or her own country
- Must arise from reasons of race, religion, nationality, political opinion or membership in a social group

